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The Associated Press is exclusively entitled  
to the use for republication of all news dis-  
patches credited to it or not otherwise cred-  
ited in this paper, and also the local news  
collected there.Oddly enough, we want to get Berg-  
doll just to put him away again.The new German cabinet proceeded  
at once to show its Wirth by accepting  
the inevitable.The self-inflicted death of Charles R.  
Crosby of Brattleboro caused deep sor-  
row among the people of his home  
town and was reflected to a lesser de-  
gree throughout the state. Mr. Crosby  
was looked upon as one of the state's  
most prominent citizens.American young men can find some-  
thing of value to them and to the na-  
tion by attending the military camps  
which are to be conducted by the war  
department the coming summer. The  
heads of the army are urging a large  
attendance at these camps, and their  
reasons are not wholly sentimental  
either.The general public is more than mildly  
interested in the information  
that the United States government is  
buying army shoes at \$3.43, for which  
it was paying \$6.73 just a year ago.  
More than mildly interested because  
the reduction means the saving of mil-  
lions of dollars in the public treasury  
and because it may indicate a decline in  
the price of shoes to be manufactured  
for the public.Action by the United States govern-  
ment in taking position with the al-  
lies in the negotiations of the council  
of ambassadors suddenly knocks one of  
the props from under the German  
house of cards. The Germans were fig-  
uring all the time that the United  
States was a doubtful quantity when  
it came to support of the allies. They  
have now learned that the United  
States is still an ally of the allies.If anyone has any doubt about the  
value of gravel roads well constructed  
let him take a spin down the Barre-  
White River Junction main highway  
this spring. The gravelled part of that  
highway came out this spring in splen-  
did shape and is in smooth condition  
with practically no outlay of time or  
money. Gravel when well laid contin-  
ues to be the most satisfactory mate-  
rial for county road construction.

## THE FULL-TIME SECRETARY.

It should be borne in mind that the  
campaign this week to raise funds for  
a full-time secretary for the Barre  
Board of Trade is not a Board of Trade  
benefit; it is a Barre benefit. The  
Board of Trade and its individual  
members will not be the beneficiaries  
of the campaign, only as they share  
in the general advance which is ex-  
pected to accrue to the city through  
having an agent who shall devote his  
entire time to the development of the  
city's interests. The full-time secre-  
tary is really a city agent, only he is  
affiliated with an organization, whose  
purpose it is to crystallize the better-  
ment efforts under one institution. The  
Board of Trade secretary is a city se-  
cretary, a city boomer. He is not sup-  
posed to seek the aggrandizement of  
the Board of Trade, but of the entire  
community, in whatever practical ways  
may develop. Therefore, when the can-  
vassers come around and ask you to  
subscribe your membership fee toward  
this progressive move do not think that  
you are asked to pay something to help  
the Board of Trade. You are asked to  
co-operate in a move to advance the  
interests of all of the entire city. If  
that idea is firmly grasped, there  
should be no doubt of the success of  
the drive about to be conducted for  
funds with which to employ a full-  
time secretary. Do your part.THE UNITED STATES RESCUES  
ALLIES AGAIN.Germany's acceptance of the terms  
of the ultimatum presented by the al-  
lies cannot be ascribed to any change  
of heart among the people of Germany.  
It is based on the old idea of expedi-  
ency. Germany does not find it ex-  
pedient longer to put off the allies. Ger-  
many does not like the terms. Ger-  
many does not like the humiliation.  
But Germany realizes that the jig is  
up. Hence she must comply with the  
allies' demands. This she will do grudgingly  
and with every mental reserva-  
tion she is capable of bringing. She  
will accept but she will lay up a store  
of vindictiveness to be drawn upon  
later. That matters not to the allies,  
however, for the "soft" attitude by the  
allies would have had the same effect  
in Germany—the desire eventually to  
get back at her foes.In the culmination of the diplomatic  
sally between Germany and the al-  
lies, the United States played as im-  
portant a part as she played in the mili-  
tary victory of the allies. When the  
allies were standing with their backs  
to the wall and incapable ofHigh values and prices  
down is the story of  
our new Spring and  
Summer Suits; bought  
since the clothing man-  
ufacturer got off his  
high horse.

Fine Blue Serge at \$40.

Beautiful herring bone  
at \$37.50.Pencil stripes or hair  
lines. Prices \$25.00 to  
\$45.A special for young  
men in a light grayish  
ground, snappy model.

F. H. Rogers &  
Companystanding off Germany much longer, the  
United States rushed in and turned  
the tide of victory in favor of the al-  
lies and toward stunning defeat for  
Germany. Again when Germany,  
though beaten militarily, was confus-  
ing and gradually weakening the allies  
with pourparlers as to the reparations,  
the United States suddenly turned from  
the position of a disinterested specta-  
tor into that of stern inflexibility in  
favor of just payment by Germany.  
From that moment Germany lost heart  
and hope of besting the allies in the  
game of diplomacy; and when the con-  
science of the American alignment  
with the allies in favor of just pay-  
ment came over the people of Ger-  
many, they through their representa-  
tives, accepted the ultimatum. The  
second time it was that the United  
States came to the rescue of the allies.  
May we not have to do so again before  
this miserable business is ended!

## MUCH-TRAVELED DRUM

And Relic of World War Presented to  
Barre Post, No. 10.A relic of history and of great in-  
terest to veterans of the first Vermont  
infantry, which later became part of  
the 57th pioneers, and to the members  
of the second regiment of engineers' band,  
is a bass drum which traversed  
many miles in the United States, rode  
the high seas on camouflaged trans-  
ports and went through the war with  
George Taylor, then a drummer with  
the second regiment of engineers' band.  
The drum is now at the home of Mrs.  
Nellie Baker at 88 South Main street,  
but in accordance with the wishes of  
Mrs. Baker's daughter, wife of Mr.  
Taylor, who died during the past win-  
ter, the drum is to be presented to the  
American Legion, Barre post, No. 10,  
several of whose members were com-  
rades of Mr. Taylor in the service.The autograph of nearly every mem-  
ber of the band was placed on one side  
of the drum, the side never beaten,  
with indelible pencil or ink and in the  
center is the pioneers' insignia, an In-  
dian head within a star.Mr. Taylor, who before entering the  
service was a drummer at the Strong  
theatre in Burlington, was among the  
first to enlist at Fort Ethan Allen  
with the first Vermont regiment, and  
there became a member of this unit  
which sailed to France as the 57th pi-  
oneers' band. The drum started from  
Fort Ethan Allen with Mr. Taylor,  
went wherever he did, and returned  
to the United States with its many  
autographs and a good evidence of use  
and travel. Wherever Mr. Taylor was  
transferred he added the name of the  
town or place, thus around the edge  
of the big bass drum are the following  
names of camps or war-famous places:  
Fort Ethan Allen, Vt.; Camp Bartlett,  
Mass.; Camp Greene, N. C.; Camp  
Wadsworth, S. C.; Camp Merritt, N.  
C.; Camp Devens, Mass.; Brest, La.  
Mans; Fontaine, Neuf Chateau, Bar  
Sei-Aube, Nevers, Gondrecourt, Cor-  
blenz, Engers, Spa. Within the cor-Bring us  
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that we do not believe we can better use this space than to republish our last sworn statement as rendered  
to the Comptroller of the Currency as of the date, April 28th, 1921. This statement in detail appeared in  
Saturday's issue of this paper.With national, industrial and financial relations more or less disturbed it is interesting to note the re-  
lative position of financial institutions not only as a barometer of commercial tendencies but as an in-  
dex of the policy of those who control their affairs.We respectfully invite your attention to the amount of quick assets carried by this bank in cash, gov-  
ernment bonds and other high grade securities that could be immediately made available.We invite your business either savings or commercial on the strength of this statement. 4 per cent in-  
terest paid on savings accounts.

ASSETS	
Cash on hand and in banks.....	\$210,975.95
United States and other high grade bonds.....	1,032,999.40
Loans, secured by personal real estate and other securities.....	962,924.10
Interest earned and uncollected.....	26,832.79
Overdrafts.....	278.52
Redemption fund with U. S. Treas- urer.....	5,000.00
New Banking rooms account.....	27,556.88
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>\$2,266,567.64</b>

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W. M. HOLDEN, Vice-PresidentF. D. LADD  
W. M. HOLDEN

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock.....	\$100,000.00
Surplus and undivided profits.....	89,163.63
Circulating notes.....	95,300.00
Unpaid dividends.....	38.50
Reserved for interest and discount....	3,840.82
Deposits.....	1,978,224.69
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>\$2,266,567.64</b>

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## The Peoples National Bank

ners of the insignia star are written  
United States, France, Belgium and  
Germany, showing the different coun-  
tries which the drum passed through  
with drummer Taylor.Besides these various writings are  
the following autographs: Harold B.  
Pike, F. H. Ayers, R. C. Campbell,  
Lloyd Pearl, Fred Duby, Lester G.  
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man, Charles DeSimon, G. Waldron  
Russell, Alex. M. Ritz, M. Selegman,  
R. J. Roveneal and S. R. Durfee.Mr. Taylor, who carried the drum,  
is well known in Barre and at the  
present time is engaged as a drummerin the Loews theatre in Ottawa, On-  
tario.The drum is to be placed at the Le-  
gion clubhouse within a day or so, and  
henceforth will be the property of  
post No. 10. Little perhaps did some  
of the writers of these autographs be-  
lieve at the time that the names would  
be preserved on this drumhead along  
with humorous inscriptions, such as  
"The Garlic Twins" and "You long  
drink of water," and in time become ahighly cherished relic, not only bear-  
ing evidence of a good war record but  
the good fellowship and feeling amongthe members of the union by the in-  
scriptions placed under some of the  
names.Capital  
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and Trust Co.  
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